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Kowloon	1 R.G.A.
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2nd Division.	
King's Res.	11 South China "A"
United A.C.	2 Police Res.
R.G.A. Res.	4 Kowloon Res.
St. Joseph's	8 Warders
South China "B"	1 University
Ambrose Res.	Club Res. scratched

KOWLOON v. R.G.A.

Played on the Garrison ground at Sookunpo before a good attendance and ended in a win for Kowloon by the odd goal in seven. Kowloon took up the start and King giving to Brown well in, the latter daltied with the ball and the defence cleared. Kowloon returned but Mason shot wide of the posts. The R.G.A. took up the attack but King relieved with an overhead kick. The R.G.A. were back again and McHugh was slow to take advantage of a good opening, and Wheeler cleared. A good movement initiated by McHugh again took the R.G.A. well down and a pass from Green was accepted by Doggrell who sent the ball straight at Knight, and Millard gaining possession went down the wing and sent in a long shot which Phillips sent behind. Lelliott cleared from the flag kick but Kowloon were soon back again and Hall tested Phillips from close range. Pascoe sent Green away who went down and centered but McHugh sent the ball wide of the post. Kowloon pressed for a time but Phillips was safe and got the ball out to midfield where Green received and put in a good run only to be stopped by Wheeler before he could get in his final shot. Play was transferred and Woodhouse miskicked but the ball was sent behind. Bailey sent Green in, but Duncanson relieved by kicking to touch. Doggrell tried a run through but not receiving and sent the ball wide. The R.G.A. returned but Knight relieved and King sent Combes away on the wing and the latter, after beating Frampton, sent the ball wide. Kowloon again took the ball down, and Brown after beating the defence tested Phillips who cleared well. Duncanson miskicked close in, let in the R.G.A. forwards and passed to Doggrell who sent the ball straight to Townsend who punted to midfield. Couzens on the R.G.A. left got away and a good run ended with the ball being sent behind. At the other end Millard kicked the ball over the bar from a good position. Offside play spoilt a good opening for the R.G.A. and Millard made a fine run down the wing but no one was up to receive his centre and the ball rolled to touch. Kowloon were soon back again and Combes centering. Brown headed the ball past Phillips and opened the score for Kowloon. The R.G.A. took up the attack from the centre kick and Townsend cleared, but Harris came in again and sent a hard one to Townsend who pushed the ball out and Duncanson cleared. Kowloon transferred play but offside stopped a good movement and the R.G.A. were soon in front of Townsend who saved well from Green. The R.G.A. again got through and Green was rewarded for receiving close in, he landed the ball in the net giving Townsend no chance. The interval arrived with the score one all.

Resuming, the R.G.A. took up the attack and Duncanson miskicked but recovered in time to clear, and the R.G.A. returning offside play relieved. King sent Combes away and Woodhouse miskicked, but Brown sent the ball wide. Green put in a splendid run and McHugh practically walked the ball into the net from his centre, thereby putting the R.G.A. two up. Being a goal down, Kowloon were not long before they took the lead, for after Hall had been pulled up for offside, that player, receiving from King, sent in a hard shot and Phillips pushing the ball out Brown returned it into the net with the R.G.A. goalkeeper beat.

Brown sent Millard away from the centre kick but Frampton cleared and the R.G.A. were soon at the other end, where Townsend brought off a good save. The R.G.A. returned and Godrell sent over the bar from a good position. Hall broke clear away and tested Phillips who saved well and play settled in midfield until Kowloon broke away and Hall sent in a hard shot which Phillips cleared. Couzens getting away for the R.G.A. forced Wheeler to concede a corner, the ball being sent behind from the flag kick. Green forced a corner off Knight from which Morrison cleared, and Combes, after beating Lelliott, went in and beat Phillips, the ball passing between the goalkeeper's legs. Being two goals down the R.G.A. pressed and during a rush a defender handled in the penalty area and Couzens failed at the spot kick the ball striking the crossbar and rebounding to play, Kowloon clearing. Keeping up the pressure, the R.G.A. were awarded another penalty and this time Pascoe took the kick and made no mistake, beating Townsend and reducing Kowloon's lead. McHugh failed to take a pass from Couzens, and Duncan cleared. McHugh and Couzens came again but Morrison relieved by kicking to touch. A free kick awarded the R.G.A. just outside the offside area gave them no advantage for offside play spoilt a good opening. Green broke away and Townsend was lucky to tip the ball over the bar from a hard drive.

The corner kick was easily cleared and with the ball in midfield the whistle sounded for time, leaving Kowloon winners of a fast game by four goals to three. The game was well contested, Kowloon forwards showing better form in front of goal. Townsend, King and Brown were conspicuous for the winners, while Pascoe,

Green and Frampton did good work for the losers. The teams took the field as under:
Kowloon.—Townsend; Wheeler and Knight; Morrison, King and Duncan; Millard, Hall, Brown, Mason and Combes.
R.G.A.—Phillips; Frampton and Woodhouse; Bailey, Pascoe and Lelliott; Green, Doggrell, McHugh, Harris and Couzens.
Referee.—Mr. Smith.

KING'S v. "TAMAR"

Played on the Navy "A" ground and ended in a goalless draw. A large number of Service men lined the touch lines to witness this game, the King's turning out in full force. The Tamar took up the attack from the kick off but, the King's defence being sound, the ball was returned to midfield where good play between the middle lines kept the attack from becoming dangerous. After about 15 minutes' play the King's forwards got together, but the Tamar's defence was equal to the situation, Routley in goal for the Tamar being in fine form. Half time, no score.

On resuming, the King's forwards settled down to the attack and worked very hard for a goal. Jones, who was well watched throughout the game, plying his forwards with excellent passes. None of the centres coming from the wings were taken advantage of, the King's inside forwards being very ineffective at short range. After 20 minutes' play in this half the Tamar inside right had a glorious opportunity, for having worked his way through the defence he sent in a lightning shot which missed by inches only. The King's again took up the attack, but their luck was out, as splendid shots from Scott and Barnett were just wide of the mark. Just before time the King's were awarded a corner kick, on the right but the ball was sent behind and a fast game ended in a draw. The match was very interesting and the issue in doubt until the final whistle sounded, and a draw was a fitting result of a game which was evenly contested. For the Tamar, Routley, Smith and Grant played a brilliant defensive game. For the King's, Wynne played a sound game at left back. Newton, Hodgson and Barclay were very cool and showed excellent judgment. The King's forward line apparently had an off day and Jones was well covered by Hudson and effectively prevented from shooting. The teams took the field as under—
"TAMAR"—Routley; Smith and Grant; Oxlund, Hudson and Bryant; Hill, Stewart, White, Burd and Brazelton.
King's—Hiscope; McCann and Wynne; Newton, Hodgson and Barclay; Barnett, Hart, Dent, Jones, Dyer and Scott.
Referee.—Mr. Hollands.

CLUB v. SOUTH CHINA.

The game was played on the South China ground, the Club winning by two goals to love. South China opened with ten men, but took up the attack from the start. Club defence cleared and for a time South China were on the defensive. After about ten minutes' even play Valentine opened the score for the Club giving Lau no chance from a high shot. Kuk Fook, who had been playing against the King's Reserve, now came on to complete the side and the game turned in favour of South China, but their inside forwards were slow, and Leung Tai Fong, who usually plays at centre half, was hopeless in the centre forward position. Several times Chui Kwong Yeung put the ball in front of Rodger, but Leung could do nothing with it. The interval arrived with the Club leading by the only goal score.

Resuming, the Club got off with a dash, but brilliant work by Chan So and Fung Tai prevented them from getting through. At the other end Rodger was called upon to clear his charge, which he did well. The Club were not out of the wood, for the brilliant play by Chui on the wing would probably bring their downfall if the inside men could only get into shooting form. The Club backs were not safe, and Bishop was inclined to wander, leaving good openings. However, the Club made the game safe, for Valentine swung the ball over to Forsyth who sent in a high shot. The ball struck the crossbar and rebounded to Begg who took it on the run and landed it safe in the net. South China were not done and they kept the Club alert until the final whistle sounded, and the game ended in a win for the Club as above.

The outstanding player on the field was Chui Kwong Yeung, who showed a clean pair of heels on several occasions to the defence. Chan So and Fung Tai played a sound game while Leung Yuk Tong worked hard at centre half. Rodger in goal saved the Club and brought back to mind the brilliant exhibitions given by him between the sticks before he decided to come out and leave the charge to his brother George. The Club forward line showed good combination although at times individual play, except in which spoilt many a good chance. Valentine was accurate in his shooting, while, on the other hand, Begg was inclined to be erratic. He did a couple of good solo runs, but why he shot from long range on two occasions with only Lau in front of him is not understood. Stewart worked hard and he was ably supported by his wing halves. The backs did good work but they are slow to recover when beaten, while Bishop is inclined to let the ball go to look after the man. South China would have done much better had Wong Pak Cheung been in the centre.

The teams took the field as under:—
Club.—J. Rodger; Israel and Bishop; McPhail, Stewart and Moore; Mair, Forsyth, Begg, Valentine, and England. South China.—Lau Ying Cheung; Fung Tai and Chan So; Lam Yuk Ying; Leung Yuk Tong and Ng Kam Cheung; Chui Kwong Yeung, Leung Tai Fong, Wong Shui Wo and Chui Kwong Yui.
Referee.—Mr. Williams.

The Subscription List will open on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1922, and close on or before Saturday, the 4th day of November, 1922.

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CAPITAL—\$1,000,000.

Divided into 100,000 Shares of \$10 Each.

Of the above shares 50,000 have already been subscribed for each by the Directors and their friends. On these \$2.5 per share will be paid on allotment and the balance when called up on the same basis as the remaining capital. Of the remainder \$5,000 shares ranking equally with those already subscribed are now offered for public subscription payable as to \$2.50 per share on application. The balance due on each share, viz., \$7.50 will not be called up at present but is to be called up on subsequent demand as and when further capital is required.

The Directors are allotting 500 shares credited as fully paid up under the terms of the Contract set forth in paragraph (c) hereof and are reserving 4,000 shares, unissued in order that they may in their discretion allot them for cash on such terms and at such time or times as they may deem advisable (on the same basis as the other shares issued for cash) to such of the employees of the Company as they think fit if such employees are desirous of subscribing for the share or to any other person or persons the Directors may from time to time determine.

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The Reverend Father H. SOPHY, Procureur Generale des Missions Etrangeres, Acting Procureur General.
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PROSPECTUS.

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The Company has acquired as a going concern as from the 13th day of September, 1922, the business of LOUIS GAIN of St. George's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, Architect, Civil Engineer, Consulting and Structural Engineer and Reinforced Concrete Expert, the purchase price for which will be paid and satisfied by the allotment to him of five hundred shares of the Company credited as fully paid-up. Of these four hundred and fifty shares are for the goodwill of the said business. The contract for the acquisition of this business is dated the 21st day of October, 1922, and made between the said LOUIS GAIN of the one part and WALTER JOHN HAWKEN as Trustee for the Company of the other part. A copy of this contract can be inspected at the office of the Solicitors to the Company at any time during business hours.

The Company has entered into contracts to secure the services of experts in reinforced concrete work.

- The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is seven shares.
- The shares now offered for subscription have been underwritten by the Directors and Sir CATHERINE PAUL CHATER, Knt. C.M.G. and Mr. JAMES HARPER TAGGART for a commission at the rate of Two per cent. on the amount thereof in proportion to the shares taken by them for which they have subscribed the Memorandum of Association and such commission is payable by the Company.
- No other commission or promotion money will be paid by the Company.
- The Company is to pay the preliminary expenses of and incident to the formation and floating of the Company down to the time when it becomes entitled to commence business and the estimated amount thereof is \$5,000.
- The Articles of Association provide that the qualification of a Director is to be the holding of 1,000 shares in the Company and that the remuneration of each of the Directors is to be \$1,000 per annum.
- The Directors are interested in the promotion of the Company to the extent only that they or some of them are Directors of other companies with whom the Company may do business.
- Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company can be inspected at the office of Messrs. Denton, Looker, Denton & Harston, Solicitors for the Company, at any time during business hours.
- A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is annexed to the prospectus and forms part of it.
- Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying the prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers together with a remittance of \$2.50 per share the amount of the deposit.
- Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for a proportionate amount of the deposit will be returned.
- Prospectuses can be inspected at and forms of application obtained from the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and at and from the temporary offices of the Company in Powell's Building, Des Voeux Road, Central, Hongkong. This prospectus has been duly filed with the Registrar of Companies.

Dated the 25th day of October, 1922.

[1877]

"AMBROSE" v. POLICE.

The *Ambrose* secured their first win in the League when they beat the Police on Navy "B" ground by 3 goals to 1. In the first half Harper and Hood scored for the sailors, while Dr. Valentine scored for the police. The game was well contested and Harper, scoring again for the *Ambrose*, the sailors ran out winners of a fast game by the score given above. The team turned out as under:—
"AMBROSE"—Coysh; Wellbourne and Butler; Turner, Edmonds and Woodcock; Harper, Davis, Boldfeaves, Hood and Carter.
Police.—Swain; Miller and McWalter; Robertson, McLaren and Post; Watson, Pearson, Dr. Valentine, Johnson and Bilyear.
Referee.—Mr. Newton.

Mr. W. H. L. Warrenner, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., at Yokohama, was recently married at Kobe to Miss Mohel Wall of Staffordshire.

A Chinese was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Lindell, on Saturday, on a charge of demanding money by menaces from a boy whom he was coercing with a view to forcing him to join a certain Guild. The boy reported the matter to the police and the man was caught by means of a marked note.

ARMS CASES.

ANOTHER SEIZURE AT AN HOTEL.

Another seizure of Contraband arms was made by Sub-inspector Shannon at the Palace Hotel, Kowloon, the other day. The raid was executed simultaneously with Sub-inspector Fallon's search at the King Edward Hotel (already reported). There is believed to be a connection between the two cases. Inspector Shannon discovered in one of the rooms of the Palace Hotel four Smith and Weston revolvers, one Lugard pistol and 2,418 rounds of ammunition. In connection with the case, a Chinese has been arrested, while a European whose name has not been divulged has been detained on suspicion. This case will come before Mr. Lindell for hearing to-day.

MORE ARMS!

For unlawfully having in his possession a revolver and 200 rounds of ammunition, a seaman of the *On Lee* was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour by Mr. E. W. Hamilton on Saturday morning. Another Chinese who was arrested by Detective-inspector J. Grant at No. 8, Tai Wong Street, for the unlawful possession of a revolver, two bullets and two daggers was also sent to prison for nine months.

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CLUB v. SOUTH CHINA

The game was played on the South China ground, the Club winning by two goals to love. South China opened with ten men, but took up the attack from the start. Club defence cleared and for a time South China were on the defensive. After about ten minutes' even play Valentine opened the score for the Club giving Lau no chance from a high shot. Kuk Fook, who had been playing against the King's Reserve, now came on to complete the side and the game turned in favour of South China, but their inside forwards were slow, and Leung Tai Hong, who usually plays at centre half, was hopeless in the centre forward position. Several times Chui Kwong Yeung put the ball in front of Rodger, but Leung could do nothing with it. The interval arrived with the Club leading by the only goal scored.

Resuming, the Club got off with a dash, but brilliant work by Chan So and Fung Tai prevented them from getting through. At the other end Rodger was called upon to clear his charge, which he did well. The Club were not out of the wood, for the brilliant play by Chui on the wing would probably bring their downfall if the inside men could only get into shooting form. The Club backs were not safe, and Bishop was inclined to wander, leaving good openings. However, the Club made the game safe, for Valentine swung the ball over to Forsyth who sent in a high shot. The ball struck the crossbar and rebounded to Begg who took it on the run and landed it safe in the net. South China were not done and they kept the Club alert until the final whistle sounded, and the game ended in a win for the Club as above.

The outstanding player on the field was Chui Kwong Yeung, who showed a clean pair of heels on several occasions to the defense. Chan So and Fung Tai played a sound game while Leung Yuk Tong worked hard at centre half.

Rodger in goal saved the Club and brought back to mind the brilliant exhibitions given by him between the sticks before he decided to come out and leave the charge to his brother George. The Club forward line showed good combination although at times individual play crept in which spoilt many a good chance. Valentine was accurate in his shooting, while, on the other hand, Begg was inclined to be erratic. He did a couple of good solo runs, but why he shot from long range on two occasions with only Lau in front of him is not understood. Stewart worked hard and he was ably supported by his wing halves. The backs did good work but they are slow to recover when beaten, while Bishop is inclined to let the ball go to look after the man. South China would have done much better had Wong Pak Cheong been in the centre.

The teams took the field as under:— Club.—J. Rodger; Israel and Bishop; McPhail, Stewart and Moore; Mair, Forsyth, Begg, Valentine, and Edgland. South China.—Lau Hing Cheung; Fung Tai and Chan So; Lam Yuk Ying; Leung Yuk Tong and Ng Kam Cheun; Chui Kwong Yeung, Leung Tai Fong, Wong Shui Wa and Chan Kwong Yui. Referee.—Mr. Williams.

The Subscription List will open on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1922, and close on or before Saturday, the 4th day of November, 1922.

Hongkong Engineering & Construction Company, LIMITED.

Incorporated under the Companies Ordinance 1911-1921.

CAPITAL—\$1,000,000.

Divided into 100,000 Shares of \$10 Each.

Of the above shares 50,000 have already been subscribed for cash by the Directors and their friends. On these \$2.5 per share will be paid on allotment and the balance when called up on the same basis as the remaining capital. Of the remainder 45,000 shares ranking equally with those already subscribed are now offered for public subscription payable as to \$2.50 per share on application. The balance due on each share, viz., \$7.50 will not be called up at present but is to be called up on subsequent demand as and when further capital is required.

The Directors are allotting 500 shares credited as fully paid up under the terms of the Contract set forth in paragraph (c) hereof and are reserving 4,500 shares unissued in order that they may in their discretion allot them for cash on such terms and at such time or times as they may deem advisable (on the same basis as the other shares issued for cash) to such of the employees of the Company as they think fit, such employees are desirous of subscribing for the share or to any other person or persons the Directors may from time to time determine.

DIRECTORS.

DR. J. W. NOBLE, Pak Hotel, Hongkong; Dental Surgeon.
 ROBERT GORDON SHERMAN, Esq., St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, Merchant.
 The Hon. Mr. C. MONTAGUE EDMOND, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, General Manager of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited.
 The Reverend Father H. SOEYKA, Procureur Generale des Missions Etrangeres, Acting Procureur General.
 Two further Directors will be appointed by the Board after allotment.

BANKERS.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

AUDITORS.

Messrs. Lowe, Dillingham & Matthews, Victoria, Accountants.

SOLICITORS.

Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Denson and Harston, Victoria.

PROSPECTUS.

(1) This Company has been formed principally to promote the use of reinforced concrete in building and engineering work generally. This form of building material is greatly in favour in Europe and America for its cheapness and the saving in time in erection. It should be especially in demand in tropical places owing to its great resistance to the deleterious influence of the climate and to the attacks of insects such as white ants, etc. It seems therefore an ideal material for Hongkong as a substitute for the expensive and often inferior materials at present in use. Houses are particularly scarce in Hongkong at the present time and there should be no lack of work for a Company such as this. The Company has already large contracts in view both for fresh work and work in process of construction which it hopes to secure. The Company is empowered by its Memorandum of Association to do all kinds of engineering, building and architectural work and for the objects it has in view a large capital will eventually be required.

The Company has acquired as a going concern as from the 13th day of September, 1922, the business of LOUIS GAIN of St. George's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, Architect, Civil Engineer, Consulting and Structural Engineer and Reinforced Concrete Expert, the purchase price for which will be paid and satisfied by the allotment to him of Five hundred shares of the Company credited as fully paid-up. Of these Four hundred and fifty shares are for the goodwill of the said business. The contract for the acquisition of this business is dated the 21st day of October, 1922, and made between the said LOUIS GAIN of the one part and WALTER JOHN HAWKER as Trustee for the Company of the other part. A copy of this contract can be inspected at the office of the Solicitors to the Company at any time during business hours.

The Company has entered into contracts to secure the services of experts in reinforced concrete work.

- The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is seven shares.
- The shares now offered for subscription have been underwritten by the Directors and Sir CATHERINE PAUL CHATER, Knt. C.M.G. and Mr. JAMES HARRIS TAGGART for a commission at the rate of Two per cent. on the amount thereof in proportion to the shares taken by them for which they have subscribed the Memorandum of Association and such commission is payable by the Company.
- No other commission or promotion money will be paid by the Company.
- The Company is to pay the preliminary expenses of and incident to the formation and floating of the Company down to the time when it becomes entitled to commence business and the estimated amount thereof is \$5,000.
- The Articles of Association provide that the qualification of a Director is to be the holding of 1,000 shares in the Company and that the remuneration of each of the Directors is to be \$1,000 per annum.
- The Directors are interested in the promotion of the Company to the extent only that they or some of them are Directors of other companies with whom the Company may do business.
- Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company can be inspected at the office of Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Denson & Harston, Solicitors for the Company, at any time during business hours.
- A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is annexed to the prospectus and forms part of it.
- Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying the prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers together with a remittance of \$2.50 per share the amount of the deposit.

Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for a proportionate amount of the deposit will be returned.

Prospectuses can be inspected at and forms of application obtained from the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and at and from the temporary offices of the Company in Powell's Building, Des Voeux Road, Central, Hongkong. This prospectus has been duly filed with the Registrar of Companies.

Dated the 26th day of October, 1922.

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"AMBROSE" v. POLICE.

The "Ambrose" secured their first win in the League when they beat the Police on Navy "B" ground by 3 goals to 1. In the first half Harper and Hood scored for the sailors, while Dr. Valentine scored for the police.

The game was well contested and Harper, scoring again for the "Ambrose", the sailors run out winners of a fast game by the score given above.

The team turned out as under:—

"Ambrose"—Coyah; Wellbourne and Butler; Turner, Edmonds and Woodcock; Harper, Davis, Relfeaves, Hood and Carter.
 Police—Swan; Miller and McWalter; Robertson, McLaren and Post; Watson, Pearson, Dr. Valentine, Johnson and Hillier.
 Referee.—Mr. Newton.

Mr. W. H. L. Warrener, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., at Yokohama, was recently married at Kobe to Miss Mohd Wall of Staffordshire.

A Chinese was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Lindsell, on Saturday, on a charge of demanding money by menaces from a boy whom he was coercing with a view to forcing him to join a certain Guild. The boy reported the matter to the police and the man was caught by means of a marked note.

ARMS CASES.

ANOTHER SEIZURE AT AN HOTEL.

Another seizure of Contraband arms was made by Sub-Inspector Shannon at the Palace Hotel, Kowloon, the other day. The raid was executed simultaneously with Sub-Inspector Fallon's search at the King Edward Hotel (already reported). There is believed to be a connection between the two cases.

Inspector Shannon discovered in one of the rooms of the Palace Hotel four Smith and Weston revolvers, one Lugard pistol and 2,412 rounds of ammunition.

In connection with the case, a Chinese has been arrested, while a European whose name has not been divulged has been detained on suspicion.

This case will come before Mr. Lindsell for hearing to-day.

MORE ARMS.

For unlawfully having in his possession a revolver and 200 rounds of ammunition, a seaman of the s.s. "On Lee" was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour by Mr. E. W. Hamilton on Saturday morning.

Another Chinese who was arrested by Detective-Inspector J. Grant at No. 8, Tai Wong Street, for the unlawful possession of a revolver, two bullets and two daggers was also sent to prison for nine months.

SPORT.

CRICKET.

INTERPORT PROBABILITIES.

The weather on Saturday was almost ideal for cricket though perhaps a little on the warm side. The sides were as follows:—

PROBABILITIES.—R. Hancock (capt.), T. E. Pearce, Capt. D. Havelock-Davies, L. J. Davies, E. B. Reed, Rev. E. Quick, Capt. C. O. Oliver, C. Stapleton, Capt. R. L. Reming, R. E. A. Webster, Major Matthews and G. R. Sayer.

POSSIBILITIES.—A. E. Wood (capt.), J. D. Evans, A. A. Rumjahn, F. J. de Rome, F. C. Miller, E. J. R. Mitchell, H. Owen-Hughes, Lieut. Bacon, Capt. Dods, C. F. Alexander, D. Reid and E. G. Lammert. Hancock's side went in first and Pearce and Oliver started confidently against the bowling of D. Reid and E. G. Lammert. The former did not shape well bowling, for too many full-pitches to leg, which Pearce punished heavily. This batsman, however, who has had a very bad patch recently was caught in the slips off Alexander when D. Quick and Oliver settled down and runs came speedily. Owen-Hughes and Evans went on, the latter bowling from the Naval Yard end considerably faster than he has done this year. The wicket was fast and helped him a little, as he was turning the ball appreciably from the off. When Oliver had made 26 he was nicely taken at the wicket on the off side by Miller who was receiving his first trial. Sayer had the misfortune to be out to a brilliant catch by Lammert in the slips off Evans, and Quick was dismissed in a rather curious way. He evidently thought one from Evans pitched clear of the off stump and covered up with his pads, only to be given l.b.w. As a matter of fact he had been l.b.w. the day before, but Evans had not asked for it, thinking the ball had pitched outside the leg stick. Both batsman and umpire, however, thought it was out.

Hancock was in his old form and settled down at once. He lost Le Fleming who was deceived by a slower one from Evans and put it up to Wood at wide mid-on. Next over Webster hit at one he should have played and was bowled. Stapleton then came on and a very nice stand ensued. Both batsmen played stylish cricket. After completing his 50 Hancock seemed out in quite his old manner and the spectators were uncommonly sorry when he retired. Just previously Miller, who had been keeping excellently, was hit on the top of the thumb and could take no further part in the match. It was particularly hard luck and one would have liked to see more of him. L. J. Davies came out to take his place.

Meanwhile, Dods, Lammert, Bacon and de Rome had been tried, but all proved innocuous. It was not until Rumjahn went on that Stapleton lifted the ball to Owen-Hughes at long-off. He had played a delightful innings marked only by a chance to de Rome at 2nd slip when he was in the forties. His powerful back-play was a feature of his game; there are few batsmen in Hongkong who can hit a past extra cover when playing back, especially with the wicket pitched well on the Queen's Road side. Capt. Havelock-Davies hit a 4 and a 6 from the rest of Rumjahn's first over. The latter was a tremendous one—the ball going very high and landing on the pavement under the Supreme Court verandah. The innings was then closed with 207 for 8. The only bowler to do anything was Evans whose analysis was 12 overs, 2 maidens, 39 runs, five wickets—and this was fairly earned. A fine performance against the batting he had to attack.

Havelock-Davies and Reed started from their usual ends with de Rome and Mitchell in. The first three overs were maidens and the former bowler was getting up easily. He was sending them down very fast with four slips, a short third man and cover-point deep and almost square with the stumps. In his third over de Rome was hit twice but managed to get the ball over the heads of the slips to the boundary. Just after, Mitchell should have been caught at first slip, the ball going for 4, but three balls later he was snickered out and was taken by the same fielder. Meanwhile Reed was bowling steadily and the batsmen found it hard to get the ball away. Bacon was in now and could do nothing but stop them. De Rome put one up near Sayer at cover but the latter evidently regarded it as impossible and took the ball first bounce. After some quiet play de Rome hit Havelock-Davies, beautifully past extra cover and later got Reed to the boundary over extra-cover's head. The latter seemed to be a trifle close in but Reed probably had his reasons for placing him there. De Rome next over got Havelock-Davies to long-on for four, but the bowler seemed deliberately to be pitching up to avoid the dangerous spot in the pitch. Next over Bacon met Reed's yorker on the leg stump with the usual result. Rumjahn came in and got the fast bowler pretty to leg for 4 but shortly after was well taken off him by L. J. Davies at the wicket. Just previous to this de Rome had been dropped at the wicket off the same bowler. Quick (Law Courts end) and Webster went on, and de Rome went out to one of the former's slow leg breaks and was smartly stumped. Wood came in and he and Dods played out time. Had the arc-lamps in Queen's Road been a little more powerful they would perhaps have had an easier task. De Rome's 42 was a plucky effort and contained many good strokes but besides the chance he gave at the wicket he was lucky three or four times in seeing the ball just fail to go to hand. Havelock-Davies bowled much faster and seemed to have the batsmen guessing most of the time. Reed, bowled as easily as ever. The ground-folding of the Probable side was most encouraging though Sayer, still seems to have a little trouble with his return. His picking up of the ball is brilliant.

Usually about this time in trials form seems to go wrong and upset things. But Saturday's cricket has only made things easier. Evans seems to have established a claim to inclusion by his excellent bowling. Stapleton also has claims to be considered on his last three innings. A very general comment being made at present is that for the last four matches Probable sides have met Possibles; therefore, all our best batsmen have not had to play Davies and Reid. But after all the authorities are experienced cricketers and things can safely be left to them.

SCORE.

R. HANCOCK'S XI.
T. E. Pearce, c Reid, b Alexander 21
Capt. Oliver, c Miller, b Evans 39
Rev. E. Quick, l.b.w. Evans 50
G. R. Sayer, c Lammert, b Evans 3
R. Hancock, retired 74
Capt. Le Fleming, c Wood, b Evans 8
R. E. A. Webster, b Evans 5
C. J. Stapleton, c Owen-Hughes 60
b Rumjahn 60
Major E. D. Matthews, not out 3
Capt. Davies, not out 40
Extras 17

Total (for 8 wickets, dec.) 257

E. B. Reed and L. J. Davies did not bat.
Fall of wickets:—1-42, 2-83, 3-89, 4-108, 5-132, 6-140, 7-244, 8-257.

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
D. Reid 5 1 24 0
C. F. Alexander 10 1 50 1
H. Owen-Hughes 12 2 42 0
B. D. Evans 12 2 39 5
Capt. Dods 6 0 32 0
E. G. Lammert 6 1 17 0
F. J. de Rome 3 0 17 0
F. C. Miller 3 0 10 0
A. A. Rumjahn 1 0 10 1

A. E. WOOD'S XI.
E. J. R. Mitchell, c Hancock, b 3
Capt. Davies, c Reid, b Quick 42
Lieut. Bacon, b Reid 1
A. A. Rumjahn, c Davies, b Cr. 12
Davies 12
Capt. Dods, not out 5
A. E. Wood, not out 1
Extras 0

Total (for 4 wickets) 68

H. Owen-Hughes, B. D. Evans, E. G. Lammert, C. F. Alexander, D. Reid did not bat.
Fall of wickets:—1-13, 2-32, 3-57, 4-63.

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
Capt. Davies 13 4 37 2
E. B. Reed 10 3 15 1
Rev. E. Quick 3 1 8 1
R. E. A. Webster 2 0 9 0

CIVIL SERVICE "A" v. POLICE C.C.

Played on Saturday on the Civil Service ground. Scores:—

CIVIL SERVICE "A"
Sandford, b C. Earnshaw 0
Baker, b Watt 0
Gill, c Maskell, b C. Earnshaw 0
Ling, b C. Earnshaw 19
Greasdon, b Watt 7
Dunkley, b C. Earnshaw 0
Alderman, b C. Earnshaw 11
Cullip, not out 4
Firman, b Watt 9
Spinks, c Hallam, b C. Earnshaw 1
White, l.b.w. C. Earnshaw 0
Byes 3
No balls 1

Total 55

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
C. Earnshaw 7 0 23 7
Watt 7 2 23 3

POLICE C.C.
R. Earnshaw, b Ling 8
Watt, played on Ling 0
Elwood, c Spinks, b Ling 5
C. Earnshaw, b Baker 0
Thorpe, b Baker 0
Maskell, b Baker 4
Wilson, c Sandford, b Baker 4
Hallam, not out 2
Lieut. Thornton, b Ling 0
Byes 0

Total 23

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
Ling 4 2 10 4
Baker 3 0 13 4

C.S.C.C. v. CRAIGENOWER.

This friendly match was played on the Craigenower ground on Saturday and resulted in a win for the Civil Service by 49 runs. For the winners Fincher and Taylor secured the runs which gave their side the victory. The Craigenower batsmen promised well but were unfortunately in having some excellent catches made from their batting and the bowling of Grimmett and Sara being particularly effective. The whole side was dismissed for 66. Holdman kept wicket in a masterful manner and was a useful contribution to the winning side. Scores:

CIVIL SERVICE CRICKET CLUB.
O. A. Redpath, c White, b Omar 14
B. Spillett, b Grimes 30
A. Owick, b Omar 10
E. Fincher, c Marsh, b Mackintosh 36
A. Grimmett, b Grimes 4
O. Sara, b Grimes 4
J. Holdman, b Omar 11
R. Hardner, b Grimes 0
R. T. Taylor, c Muskett, b Abbas 16
W. Hill, not out 2
W. Woolley, b Mackintosh 4
Extras 10
Total 99

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
U. Omar 9 3 20 3
A. Paice 3 2 11 0
T. Grimes 7 1 17 4
T. Abbas 3 0 21 1
C. Anderson 2 0 12 0
D. Mackintosh 1 4 0 2

CRAIGENOWER.
D. Mackintosh, c and b Grimmett 10
U. Omar, c Holdman, b Sara 3
Y. Abbas, c Hill, b Grimmett 12
C. A. Anderson, b Sara 0
W. T. Marsh, c and b Grimmett 0
T. Grimes, c Redpath, b Sara 11
A. Paice, c Fincher, b Sara 1
W. Hill, c Hill, b Sara 1
Dr. V. Atienza, not out 0
W. Muskett, c Fincher, b Sara 0
G. White, c Taylor, b Grimmett 14
Extras 2

Total 50
Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
A. Grimmett 9 2 23 4
C. Sara 9 3 31 6

H.K.C.C. 2ND XI. v. C.R.C.

A friendly match was played on Saturday between the Hongkong Cricket Club 2nd XI and the Chinese Recreation Club at Causeway Bay. The game resulted in a draw. The visitors knocked up 174 for seven wickets and declared. The Chinese replied with 91 for seven wickets when stumps were drawn. Scores:—

H.K.C.C. 2ND XI.
W. W. Mackenzie, b Ching 1
M. M. Watson, b Hung 0
G. H. Piercy, c S. C. Wong, b Ching 23
W. Galloway, b Hung 12
F. H. Pentecost, c H. Ahwee, b Hung 1
D. E. G. Nicholson, not out 52
J. D. Humphreys, c M. W. Lo, b T. Wong 21
T. Wong 21
H. E. Hollands, c M. W. Lo, b Ching 31
J. D. Crawford, not out 14
Extras 16

Total (for 7 wickets, dec.) 174
D. B. Peat and H. Spicer did not bat.
Fall of wickets:—1-0, 2-16, 3-23, 4-37, 5-41, 6-75, 7-153.

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
H. Hung 11 1 32 3
Ching 12 0 46 3
Wong 3 0 15 1
Lo 4 0 21 0
W. Hung 3 0 25 0
M. K. Lo 1 0 9 0

C.R.C.
C. Chon, c Humphreys, b Piercy 6
H. Ahwee, c Watson, b Humphreys 6
E. C. Hing, b Peat 17
Wong Sik To, c Galloway, b Piercy 7
G. Lee, c McKenzie, b Piercy 24
M. W. Lo, c Watson, b Piercy 2
J. M. Tan, c and b Piercy 6
M. K. Lo, not out 43
H. Ching, not out 9
Extras 1

Total (for 7 wickets) 91
Wong Sik Cheung and W. Hung did not bat.
Fall of wickets:—1-6, 2-12, 3-26, 4-31, 5-56, 6-67, 7-73.

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
G. H. Piercy 16 5 28 5
J. D. Humphreys 3 1 16 1
F. H. Pentecost 5 0 17 0
J. D. Crawford 5 3 7 0
D. B. Peat 3 0 12 1

LAWN BOWLS.

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLONY.

The final of the open Singles Championship of the Colony was played at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club on Saturday before a fairly large gathering of interested spectators, the contestants being R. C. Wallace (Taikoo) and W. Gerard (Police).

For the first half of the match play was very even but after that Wallace gradually went ahead and finally won by 21 shots to 11.

Gerard opened well and held the lead for the first five heads. At the eighth head, Wallace, who was playing very steadily, scored four, the splendid effort being greeted with much applause. Playing towards the Kowloon Cricket Club Ground, Gerard was inclined to be too narrow.

Both players are well known in the Colony and took part in the recent Bowls Interport matches at Shanghai.

Messrs. W. Russell and D. Harvey capably carried out the duties of umpire and scorer respectively.

At the conclusion of the match the prizes were presented to the winner and runner-up by Mrs. Reid, wife of the President of the Taikoo Bowls Club.

The following is the table of scores for both players:

R. C. WALLACE			W. GERARD		
Heads	Shots	Total	Heads	Shots	Total
1	0	0	1	2	2
2	1	1	2	0	2
3	1	2	3	0	2
4	0	2	4	2	4
5	1	3	5	0	4
6	0	3	6	1	5
7	0	3	7	2	7
8	4	7	8	0	7
9	0	7	9	1	8
10	1	8	10	0	8
11	0	8	11	1	9
12	1	9	12	0	9
13	2	11	13	0	9
14	1	12	14	0	9
15	0	12	15	1	10
16	2	14	16	0	10
17	0	14	17	1	11
18	1	15	18	0	11
19	2	17	19	0	11
20	1	18	20	0	11
21	1	19	21	0	11
22	2	21	22	0	11

KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

Members of the Kowloon Cricket Club and their friends assembled at the Club on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of the annual prize distribution. The spacious ground presented a very animated appearance. Three tennis tournaments had been arranged for the afternoon by the Committee and with all the games in progress on an augmented number of courts the place gave on the impression of a Wimbledon tennis tournament.

The results of the afternoon's tournaments were as follows:—
Mixed Doubles "A."—1. Mrs. Hildley and Mr. W. Brown; 2. Mr. and Mrs. Jack; Mrs. Rodgers and Mr. W. Hyde (tie).

Mixed Doubles "B."—1. Miss Edwards and Mr. Saines; 2. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lindsell.
Men's Doubles.—1. Messrs. Burden and Spinks; 2. Messrs. H. J. Timperley and R. Abraham.

At the conclusion of the Tournament Mrs. Forsyth (wife of the President of the Club) presented the prizes won in the various competitions held during the year. The prize list is as follows:—

CRICKET PRIZES.

1st XI. BATTING (Presented by Mr. E. Abraham).—C. I. Stapleton.

Bowling (Presented by Dr. C. Forsyth).—B. D. Evans.

2nd XI. BATTING (Presented by Mr. H. Page).—F. E. Lawrence.

Bowling (Presented by Mr. J. Hyde).—E. F. Spinks.

TENNIS.

Club Championship (Club presented by Dr. Forsyth and prize presented by Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd.).—W. Hyde; 2. (presented by Messrs. Caldwell MacGillivray, Ltd.), B. D. Evans.

Handicap Singles "A."—1. (Presented by Mr. J. H. Oxberry), C. Millard; 2. L. J. Blackburn.

Handicap Singles "B."—1. (Presented by Mr. J. Hyde), N. L. H. Bailton.

Scratch Pairs.—1. (Presented by Messrs. Donnelly & White), F. Wheeler and C. E. Millard; 2. E. Abraham and D. J. Purvis.

Handicap Doubles.—1. F. Wheeler and K. A. Mason; 2. L. J. Blackburn and H. Krebs.

Mixed Doubles Handicap.—1. Mrs. Lawes and R. E. Lindsell; 2. (Presented by Mr. R. E. Lindsell), Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Edwards.

BOWLS.

Club Championship.—1. A. G. Fife; 2. R. Abraham.

Singles Handicap.—1. A. O. Brown; 2. J. McMurtrie.

Scratch Pairs.—1. M. J. Jack and F. G. Thompson; 2. J. McMurtrie and F. G. Herridge.

Handicap Pairs.—1. Nicholls and Fletcher; 2. Stevens and H. Overy.

Rink Competition.—1. C. Dance, A. O. Brown, R. Abraham and J. Hyde; 2. Nicholls, Tachi, Fletcher and J. McMurtrie.

Prizes were also presented to the winners and runners-up of the afternoon's tournaments.

Mrs. Forsyth was the recipient of a handsome bouquet of flowers in a silver holder, tied with the Club colours.

Dr. C. Forsyth, at the conclusion of the prize distribution, thanked the Committee for asking Mrs. Forsyth to present the prizes. They had had a very enjoyable afternoon's sport and judging from the afternoon's tennis he hoped to see their champion Mr. W. Hyde well in the running for the open event of the Colony next season. After congratulating the Club on their success in winning both divisions of the Cricket League, Dr. Forsyth went on to speak of the new ground which had been allotted to the Club in King's Park. When the ground was completed he hoped to see all the future interport cricket matches of the Colony played there. With such a ground the Club would easily become the premier sporting club of the Colony. (Applause).—He hoped to see this happen within the next few years.

With the termination of Dr. Forsyth's happy little speech the gathering broke up.

WEDDING.

WILSON-HUME.

Mr. Norval Charles Wilson, acting manager of the Mercantile Bank of India in Hongkong, was married at the Peak Church, on Saturday, to Miss Dorothy Angelus Hume, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hume, of Vancouver, B.C. The bride was given away by Mr. Harry Hancock. Miss Nancy Hornell attended the bride as a flower girl and Mr. J. B. Ross fulfilled the duties of "best man." The Rev. H. Copley Moyle was the officiating clergyman. After the ceremony a reception was held at No. 105, The Peak.

MR. MEI LAN FONG ENTERTAINED.

GUEST OF B.A.T. CO.

A very enjoyable time was spent at Repulse Bay Hotel on Saturday, when Mr. Mei Lan Fong, the celebrated Chinese actor, was the guest at dinner of the British-American Tobacco Company. Messrs. F. A. Perry, K. H. Aumiller, S. M. Mayers and H. C. Rowson represented the B.A.T. Company, and those invited to meet Mr. Mei Lan Fong included Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, C.M.G., C.B.E., Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, C.B.E., Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Hon. Mr. Chou Shou-son, Hon. Mr. Ng Hon-tai, General Tang Yu Kwang, Major Chavener Tronch, C.M.G., D.S.O., Major R. B. Young, Dr. Charles Forsyth, Capt. A. D. McClay, Lieut. R. R. Beauchamp, R.N., Messrs. S. B. C. Ross, G. M. Young, Chan Harr, Ho Kwang, J. H. Scott, R. F. Forbes, Wong Po-nam, Wong Hin-sim, and Chan Shun-yu.

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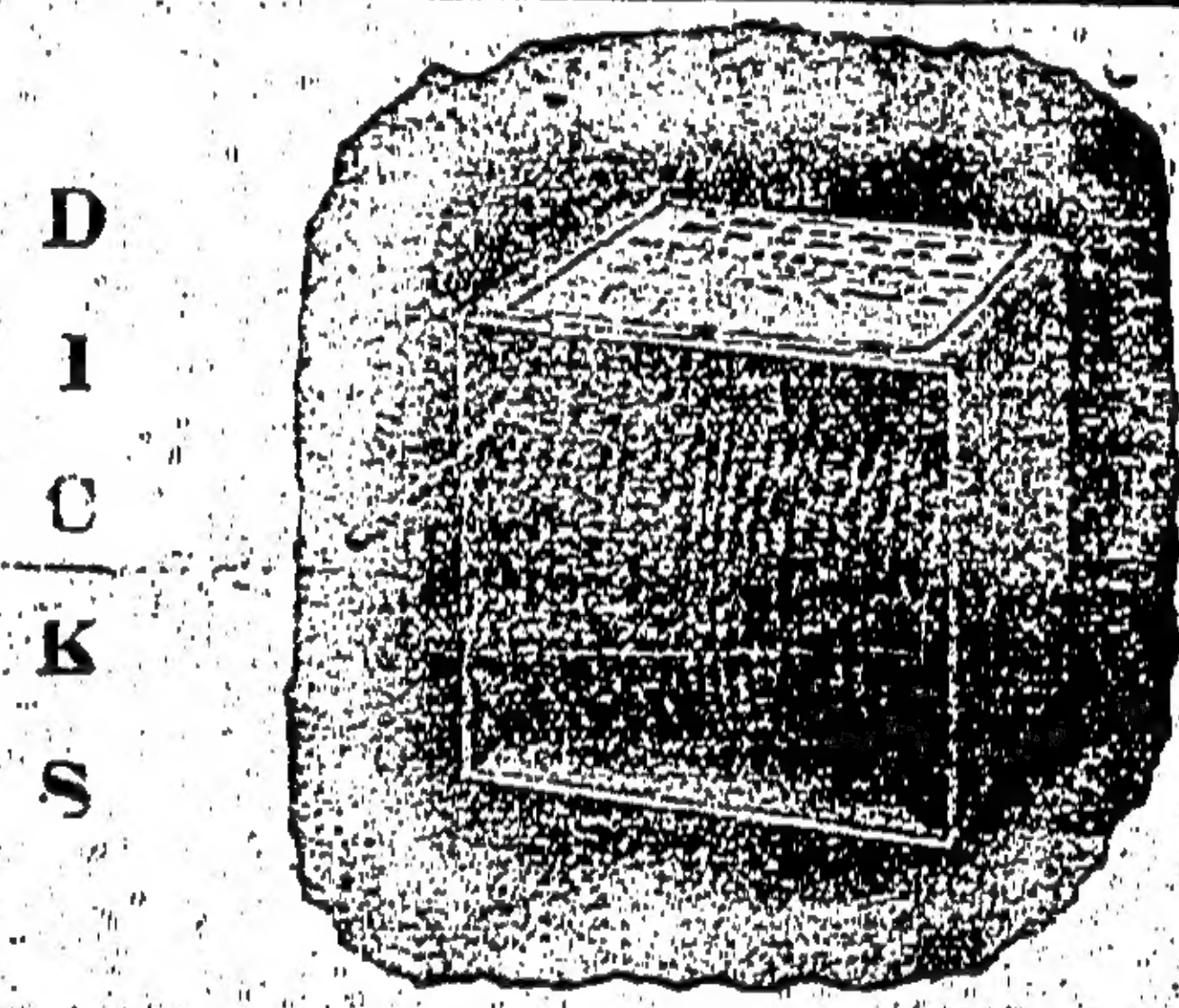
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LATEST CABLES

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

THE GENERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

ADOPTION OF CANDIDATES.

LARGE REPRESENTATION OF LABOUR.

London, October 29th.

The Conservatives in 31 constituencies have, so far, agreed not to oppose National Liberals.

Up to the present, 425 Conservative candidates, 399 Labour candidates, 186 National Liberal candidates, and 301 Independent Liberal candidates have been adopted by the various Party organisations in the constituencies.

MR. WINSTON CHURCHILL SUPPORTS THE EXPREMIER.

Mr. Winston Churchill, who is still confined to his room, has addressed a message to the electors of Dundee (his constituency), in which he criticises the new Government on the score of being a weak one and containing an excessive number of Peers in the Cabinet. He sees a danger of the Upper House controlling policy, seconded by a Commons majority secured by split votes. He declares his attitude towards the new Government, consequently, to be one of freedom and reserve but unfavourable opposition. He disapproves of the suggestion for the creation of a Centre Party and stands as a Liberal Free Trader. He concludes by taking up his stand alongside Mr. Lloyd George and sententially refers to the latter's "quondam friends, now opponents."

MR. LLOYD GEORGE AT GLASGOW. NAUTICAL METAPHORS: "STEERING A MIDDLE COURSE."

Mr. Lloyd George, opening the Scottish campaign at Glasgow, said he and the nation were still bewildered and still awaiting some reputable explanation of the wanton act of sabotage that destroyed the Coalition. His present, and he hoped his future friend, Mr. Bonar Law failed to show that there had been any differences in the late Government on questions of principle and policy. The Democrats were not the only people demanding a change. If a partisan victory were snatched at this election that would not be the end. The Labour Party's manifesto, which would appeal to millions, was a formidable challenge of an alternative in the shape of a Socialist Government.

He himself and his friends would do their utmost to avert the worst evils of the bad blunder, and he trusted that nothing would be done in the election that would make it difficult or even impossible for men like minded, who believed in keeping the country steady, from pulling together and preventing the boat from capsizing. "Stick to the middle course," said Mr. Lloyd George, "give a wide berth to the abyss on both sides and we shall pull through." The important thing was (he continued) that the breach shall not be made irreparable, otherwise dangerous elements will be found marching to destruction. "We emerged from the great storm because we co-operated," he said. "I was then on the bridge. (Cheers.) I am now in the forecastle. (Laughter.) But the hurricane is coming from another quarter. Let us not endanger the glorious old ship by quarrels as to what officers shall be on the bridge and what uniform they shall wear."

POSITION FOR MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S SECRETARY. DIRECTOR OF SUEZ CANAL.

Mr. J. T. Davies, Mr. Lloyd George's private secretary, has been appointed to the Suez Canal directorship which has been vacant for the past two years.

MEXICAN FUNDS ATTACHED.

NEW YORK CONSULATE CLOSED.

WASHINGTON, October 29th. The Mexican Consulate in New York has closed, the furnishings having been attached in a civil suit, brought in the U.S. Court against Mexico, for \$1,250,000 damages. Mexico has protested to the State Department against the attachment, in the same suit, of its deposits and funds in New York banks. The Mexican Charge d'Affaires says that the Court's action will be stubbornly contested.

FURTHER MEXICAN ACTION POSSIBLE.

Mexico City, October 29th. The Foreign Office has ordered the closing of the Mexican Consulate in New York. Orders affecting other Consulates in the United States are under consideration.

MEXICAN CONSULATE REOPENS.

WASHINGTON, October 29th. The United States court's order has been annulled and the Mexican Consulate in New York reopens on Monday.

PROPAGATION OF SOUND.

ITS RELATION TO METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS.

London, October 29th. In connection with the investigation of the propagation of sound, and its relation to meteorological conditions in the upper atmosphere, it has been arranged to explode a quantity of perchlorate at Oldbrook, Holland, in order to observe the effects.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION.

MATERIALS TO BE PRODUCED WITHIN THE EMPIRE.

London, October 29th.

In a letter to the Press, the Duke of Devonshire, who is Chairman of the Executive Council of the British Empire Exhibition, announces that, in order to secure the closest co-operation and with a view to utilising the resources of the Empire to the utmost possible extent in connection with the Exhibition, the Council has unanimously approved a resolution that Dominion High Commissioners and Chairmen of Group Committees for Colonies and Protectorates be invited to become members of the Executive Council, that High Commissioners be invited to become members of the Management Committee, with the Commissioners in charge of each Dominion exhibit as alternate members, the policy of the Council being that materials and supplies required for the service of the Exhibition shall be produced within the Empire. It was resolved that a Sub-Committee be appointed, consisting of three representatives of the Council, two members nominated by High Commissioners, and one representing the Colonies and Protectorates, to report as to the best method of achieving this end.

UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.

BUSINESS MEN ADVISE THAT ALLIED DEBT PROBLEM SHOULD BE FACED.

New York, October 29th.

A feature of the speeches at a Convention of the American Manufacturers and Export Association was the emphasis laid on the fact that United States development of greater demand for its products in North America and Asia would not alone suffice to restore prosperity, because these countries were unable to buy from America as long as Europe was unable to buy their products. The Convention passed a resolution recommending the United States Chamber of Commerce to call an international conference of business men to discuss the inter-allied debt problem and publish their conclusions.

U.S.A. PROHIBITION SEIZURES.

CANADIAN SCHOONER RELEASED.

Washington, October 29th.

The State Department has ordered the release of the Canadian schooner *Emerald* which was seized a week ago outside the three mile limit on the ground that the seizure was a violation of President Harding's policy.

AMERICAN VESSELS AND PROHIBITION.

A FAR-REACHING DECISION.

New York, October 29th.

Judge Hand, of the United States Federal Court, has dismissed the suits of certain American shipping lines for an injunction against Attorney-General Daugherty's ruling. Judge Hand declared that American vessels could not carry or sell liquor in any part of the world.

CAPT. AMUNDSEN'S EXPEDITION.

THE LACK OF WIRELESS MESSAGES.

Christiania, October 29th.

The *Afterpost* hopes that the Norwegian scientists who are wirelessly collaborating with Capt. Amundsen's ship, the *Maud*, have not realised that only a few messages have been received since October 15th, instead of daily as expected.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION IN AMSTERDAM.

REPORT HEARD SEVENTY MILES AWAY.

London, October 29th.

A message from Amsterdam states that 5,000 kilograms of munitions were exploded at 5.30 yesterday. Only slight damage resulted, principally to windows. As the wind was blowing north-north-east the report was heard near Utrecht, seventy miles distant. Listeners in England do not appear to have detected the sound.

HOME FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S LEAGUE RESULTS.

Shanghai, October 29th.

"Following" are Saturday's League Football results. In each case the home team is listed first:

FIRST DIVISION	
Arsenal	1
Bolton Wanderers	2
Birmingham	3
Blackburn Rovers	3
Cardiff City	3
Derby	1
Everton	1
Huddersfield	3
Manchester City	2
Manchester United	1
Sheff. Wednesday	1
West Bromwich	5
SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
Aberdeen	1
Airdrieonians	1
Alloa	2
Ayr United	1
Celtic	1
Dundee	1
Heart of Midlothian	1
Partick Thistle	3
Raith Rovers	0
St. Mirren	2

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POSITION IN ITALY.

"CHECK" TO THE FASCISTI.

Rome, October 29th.

The day passed off very quietly, the military authorities, as a precaution, protecting all approaches to bridges.

It is stated that the troops have been ordered to prevent the entry into Rome of Fascist elements. The parties of Fascisti which were marching on Rome from Pisa, Florence, and Leghorn have been arrested, and a complete stoppage of railway traffic has been ordered, while depots are strongly guarded. Carabinieri and cavalry are patrolling the streets.

It is reported from Cremona that a party of Fascisti who attempted to seize the Prefecture were driven out by soldiers. Four Fascisti were killed.

SITUATION BECOMES WORSE.

Paris, October 29th. Advice from Rome state that the situation in Tuscany has suddenly become worse. This is due to the Fascisti beginning concerted action. The Fascisti, despite the resistance of the Carabinieri, have occupied the Post Office at Florence and are in possession of the barracks.

IMPORTANT FASCISTI ACTIVITIES.

SINNA, October 29th. Important concentrations of Fascisti, who have announced their intention of marching on Rome, are reported from Pisa, Pistoia and Leghorn. In other districts, communications are interrupted.

MARTIAL LAW PROCLAIMED.

Rome, October 29th. Martial Law has been proclaimed throughout Italy, taking effect from mid-day to-day.

CABINET'S DETERMINED ATTITUDE.

Rome, October 29th. The Cabinet, which has been in permanent session since yesterday evening, have issued a statement, signed by all the Ministers, declaring their intention to steadfastly maintain public order and uphold free institutions in face of insurrectionary movement.

MARTIAL LAW RESCINDED.

Rome, October 29th. It is semi-officially announced that, in consequence of the improvement in the situation the Government have rescinded the martial law proclamation.

KING REFUSES TO SIGN MARTIAL LAW DECREE.

Rome, October 29th. An explanation of the rescission of martial law is afforded in a statement in the newspapers to the effect that the King refuses to sign the decree.

CABINET STILL SITTING.

The Cabinet is still sitting and all was quiet here at dusk, but the authorities, as a precaution have stopped the trams, though other traffic is running. A number of Fascisti demonstrated before the Quirinal and acclaimed His Majesty. All is reported quiet in the provinces except in a few cases where the Fascisti are occupying public offices. The only report of bloodshed is from Cremona.

EARLIER CABLES.

THE FASCISTI INVITED TO CONFERENCE.

Rome, October 27th. It is stated in political circles that the situation is as follows: The Cabinet last night considered the Government's position, especially in reference to the Fascisti Congress at Naples. All the Ministers recognised the necessity of immediately placing their resignations in the hands of the Premier, in order to allow him liberty of action. Signor Facta thereupon telegraphed the Fascisti leader, M. Mussolini, at Milan, asking him to come to Rome to discuss the possibility of an agreement between the Government and the Fascisti.

LATEST CABLES.

NEAR EAST CONFERENCE.

U.S. NOT TO OFFICIALLY PARTICIPATE.

Washington, October 29th. The Allies have presented an invitation to the United States to participate in the Lausanne Conference. Mr. Hughes, U.S. Secretary of State, has instructed the American Ambassadors to Great Britain, France and Italy to intimate that the United States cannot officially participate in the Lausanne Conference, because the United States was not a belligerent against Turkey, nevertheless, he knew America's important interests in the Near East, and will appoint observers to attend the negotiations.

GREEK CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVES APPOINTED.

Athens, October 29th. M. Venizelos, assisted by M. Romanos, Greek Minister to Paris, and M. Caramanlis, Minister to London, will represent Greece at the Lausanne Conference. General Mazaraki will attend as military expert.

EARLIER CABLES.

BERN, October 27th.

The Federal Council has consented to the holding of the Near East Conference at Lausanne.

SWEDISH MINISTER RESIGNS.

Stockholm, October 27th. Dr. Bergstrom, Swedish Minister to China and Japan, has resigned. (Continued on page 6.)

FAR EASTERN CABLE NEWS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

GOVERNORSHIP OF HONGKONG.

DR. MAGNANITA DENIES THAT HE IS COMING TO THE FAR EAST.

London, October 29th.

The Rt. Hon. Dr. T. J. Macnamara, T.C., addressing a meeting at Camberwell in connection with the General Election campaign, stated that the report that he was going to the Far East to take up a salaried office was unfounded.

THE FUKIEN INVASION.

DISCONTENT AMONG LITTLE HSIU'S GENERALS.

Peking, October 29th.

Telegrams from Foochow assert that differences between the invading leaders are increasing. It appears that General Huang Tai-wei and General Li Fong had assumed various Government offices which they are now unwilling to hand over to Little Hsiu's nominees, also acute jealousy has arisen between Huang Tai-wei and General Wang Yung-chang over the latter's appointment as Governor by Hsu. In the meanwhile, Admiral Sah Chen-ping's position is increasingly difficult, and his presence is essential in order to safeguard citizens' property and lives. Li Hou-chi has left for Shanghai.

PREPARING FOR AN ATTACK ON FOOCHEW.

CANTON MILITARY GOVERNOR TO LEAD 12,000 TROOPS.

Peking, October 29th.

A message from Fukien says that General Chen Chiung-ming has arranged with General Kao Chuan-chung that the latter's command shall form the front line in the projected movement against Foochow, with General Chen Chiung-ming at the head of 12,000 Kwangtung troops supporting.

General Tsai Cheng-hsun is expected to co-operate from Kiangsi with two divisions, and Admiral Tu Hsi-kuei has been ordered to proceed to Foochow with a landing force of marines. It is expected that operations against Foochow will begin very soon.

PEKING-SUIYUAN RAILWAY STRIKE.

EXTENDS TO ALL EMPLOYEES.

Peking, October 29th.

The Peking-Suiyuan railway strike has extended to all the employees.

JAPANESE ADMINISTRATION OF TSINGTAO.

PREPARATIONS FOR DISCONTINUANCE COMPLETED.

Tokyo, October 29th.

It is announced that the Japanese Civil Administration, which has been under the Commander of the garrison at Tsingtao, will be discontinued from Oct. 30th.

JAPANESE NAVAL APPROPRIATION.

REDUCTION CALLS FORTH A PROTEST.

Tokyo, October 29th.

The Finance Department has reduced the navy appropriation in the forthcoming Budget by 30,000,000 yen, making a total reduction of over 100,000,000 yen.

The Naval Authorities are protesting. They say requirements are actually 400,000,000 yen, but in view of retrenchment, they had asked for only 317,000,000 yen, which is the absolute minimum.

SIR BELBY ALSTON LEAVES SHANGHAI.

FAREWELL BY REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING.

Shanghai, October 29th.

Sir Belby F. Alston was farewelled by a large number of friends and Government officials when he left Shanghai, yesterday afternoon, aboard the *President Lincoln* for America, en route to Buenos Aires. Guards of Honour, furnished by General He Feng-ling, Military Governor of Shanghai, and picked Shanghai volunteers, were drawn up on the quay.

Sir Belby Alston arrived escorted by Sikh troops. The Guards of Honour saluted, the band of the Chinese Guard playing the British National Anthem.

Those present included the Consul-General and the Consulate staff, the Foreign Commissioner, a representative of the Military Governor and important business men, who cheered the departing tender.

AMERICAN BANK OFFICIAL ARRESTED.

CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED FRAUD AT PEKING.

New York, October 29th.

Mr. Henry Werblow, described as acting manager of the Peking branch of the Asia Banking Corporation, was arrested on his arrival from China, and charged with attempting to defraud the bank of \$100,000 by means of forged cheques.

ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

OPENING CRUISE AND LADIES' DAY.

HIS EXCELLENCY "MINTIE" THE PROCEEDING.

When Wint comes such a wide range of sport offers in Hongkong that it is difficult for people who play Rugby, Soccer, tennis and golf, and who also own a yacht, to do everything in. This fact, to some extent, accounted for a small entry in the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's opening cruise and ladies' day, arranged for Saturday. It follows that those who only look on at sport also had a wide choice and, on Saturday, while Happy Valley had its thousands of visitors, the new lawn at the Yacht Club was much less densely populated. But then, yachting is not a sport to watch from a lawn; the charm is in manoeuvring the craft oneself. So those who have not studied the science of navigation absorbed tea and ices on lawn and listened to the Hongkong Hotel band until the other people's ships came home. The scratch crews which were to have rowed, unfortunately "scratched" in the other sense (Rugby football was understood to be the reason), so only a couple of pairs left the starting point. Miss Logan coxed D. Logan (bow) and A. G. Lamplugh (stroke) to victory against Mrs. Blackwell (cox), P. W. Blackwell (bow) and J. S. McCann (stroke).

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government (Mr. Claud Severn) "minuted the proceedings" so happily and accurately, in a speech at the subsequent distribution of mementoes, as to save the reporter any further trouble (a *quid pro quo* for last Thursday's Council meeting). By transcribing what H.E. said, the reader will be given the clearest possible impression of the whole affair. All that has to be done to fill out the picture is to imagine a small and select assembly sitting around tea-tables on the lawn, the usual table of silver trophies, Mrs. Lowe "standing by" to distribute them when H.E. has finished. The Commodore and Vice-Commodore in the offing ready with the usual "few words of thanks," and the inevitable child waggling the inevitable bouquet tied up with the Club's Colours; also, one must not forget—the ubiquitous Ah Mow, hovering around, resourceful, efficient, vociferous.

His Excellency remarked that the Club had had a very pleasant cruise, with lovely weather and a perfect breeze, and though in some races the yachts sailed the wrong course—(laughter)—on the whole, results had been what might fairly have been expected. In the English Rig very few of the yachts went out and it was very difficult to say which was first because, he was told, two of the yachts sailed different courses. To put things right, the courses sailed had been named "A" and "B," and Mr. Ryan had been awarded a prize for sailing *Baroness* home first on one course, and Mr. M. Henderson, in *Violet*, on the other course.

In the race for Chinese Rig the same difficulty had occurred. Mr. J. H. Pierce was awarded a special first prize for *Lady Jean* on Course A. Mr. Severn himself, on *Onion*, took the prize on Course B, the Commodore, the Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe, on *Nike*, being second.

The ladies' race in racing yachts (handicap class) was won by Miss Logan, in *Elita*, with Diane second, sailed by Mrs. Shepton. In the one design class, *Daphne* was first, sailed by Mrs. Blackwell, and *Alma* second, sailed by Miss Cornell. In the Heyward Hays class, *Urrula* ("as usual," Mr. Severn remarked) was first, sailed by Mrs. Bouse; *Sarkis* was second, sailed by Mrs. Cock, and *Adanae* third, sailed by Mrs. Tracey. In the Gael class, *Tinette* was first, sailed by Mrs. Robertson, *Joan* second, sailed by Miss Haynes. H.E. welcomed to the Club two ladies who had sailed that day for the first time—Miss Grace and Miss Primrose Grace, daughters of the Commodore. They were very keen and he was sure that, before the season was over, they would distinguish themselves. Mr. Severn added that this was the first occasion on which Mr. Lowe had presided as Commodore and Mrs. Lowe had come to distribute the prizes. He was sure they would all hope that the year Mr. Lowe was Commodore would be a successful and prosperous one for the Club.

Mrs. Lowe then presented the trophies, also some cups won last season which there had been no opportunity to present to the winners previously.

The Vice-Commodore (Mr. D. K. Blair), on behalf of the various Committees which had arranged the affair, thanked H.E. Mr. Claud Severn and Mrs. Severn for attending the opening cruise. He did not think that Mr. Severn, since he had been in the Colony, had ever missed an opening or a closing cruise of the Yacht Club. Adopting a nautical metaphor, Mr. Blair remarked that he had only one fault to find with Mr. Severn—he took all the wind out of one's sails; there was nothing left to talk about when Mr. Severn had finished. All he had to do, therefore, was to thank His Excellency for his attendance, and welcome Mrs. Lowe and thank her for distributing the prizes.

Three cheers and a "tiger" were given, and the Commodore (the Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe) replied on Mrs. Lowe's behalf. "I was very pleased to see His Excellency best me, to-day," remarked Mr. Lowe, "but, following his own argument, I shall expect him to approach the Committee and apply for heavier taxation in the shape of an increased handicap." Mr. Lowe mentioned that ladies have now the privilege of membership of the Club and they would be glad to welcome a larger number of them. No doubt their husbands and brothers would be pleased to buy them yachts if they did not already possess them.

THE NEW SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS.

THE DRAW.

Forty subscription griffins arrived in Hongkong yesterday morning from Tientsin by the *s.s. Cheongching*. The design of the griffins has been brought down by the Jockey Club and last evening, at the Causeway Bay Stables, they were drawn for, the following being successful in securing the ownership of a pony:—Mr. Allsire, Messrs. Alves & Co., Mr. J. Bagran, Dr. Lyon Brown, Mr. H. Birrell, Mr. W. Bernard, "D. and B.," Mr. F. Sutton, Sir Paul Chater, Mr. P. A. Cox, Messrs. Dowbiggin & Co., Mr. Dynasty, Messrs. Dyer and Sutherland, Mr. E. J. Fegredo, Mrs. Forsyth, Mr. A. G. Mr. G. A. Harriman, Mr. Harriand, Messrs. Home and Cook, Mr. John Johnstone, Mrs. Johnstone, the Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe, Mr. D. C. Logan, Mr. Mara, Dick, Mr. G. C. Morson, Mr. N. Croucher, Mr. Mount, Mr. H. M. H. Nemeze, Mr. P. C. Ports, Major Cassels, the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, Mr. H. Seib, the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, Mrs. A. M. Sisson, Capt. E. G. Spinks, Mr. Topside, Messrs. Tester and Abraham, Messrs. H. Taylor & Co., Mr. C. E. Warren and Mr. H. P. White.

The draw was superintended by Messrs. R. M. Dyer and H. P. White and the two ladies who drew the numbers from the hat were Mrs. R. M. Dyer and Mrs. T. E. Pearce. H.E. the Officer Administering the Government (the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G.), Mrs. Severn and Mrs. Bullock were interested spectators at the draw.

The new ponies in their present state look very rough with shaggy coats and long tails, and will need a lot of "licking into shape" before they will be ready for the race-course. For the most part they look strong boned, and one or two appeared to be nicely shaped.

A TRAMWAY COMPANY'S BENEFIT.

ANCIENT SUPERSTITION BRINGS GRIST TO THE MILL.

The Peak on Saturday reminded one of Hampstead Heath on a Bank holiday. Thousands of Chinese, impelled by a superstition arising from some bye-gone calamity, made their way to the highest point of Victoria Peak, though what they did there very few European residents troubled to discover. The Tramway Company called it, on their notices, the Chung Yung Festival, and that more of information was enough for most people. Special barricades were erected at the Tram Stations to make it easier to handle the crowds, and time tables were abandoned for several hours, the trams making the journey as often as they could in every hour. It was the Tramway Company's annual benefit day, without a doubt, and, by the evening, the floors of the trams were thickly carpeted with used tickets. At 4 p.m. the ascending stream had lessened and, by nightfall, the Peak had resumed, once more, its air of remoteness and seclusion, a little world of its own, "chsen and made peculiar ground," as the old hymn puts it.

CONCLUDING EVENTS OF THE U.S. SUBMARINES VISITS.

The visit of the United States Submarine Flotilla is drawing to a close. *Bitten* and ten submarines, and *Blackhawk* and seven destroyers sailed on Saturday. The *Hart* and *Rini* arrived. On November 2nd these vessels will depart, accompanied by *Hurich*, with the Commander-in-Chief on board, and the *General Alava*. To-day a third and last contingent of the sailors will be entertained by the Colony, the arrangements following the same lines as before. To-night many of the U.S. officers will be present at a dance at Government House. Tomorrow a party of U.S. officers will be taken for a drive round the New Territories and tiffin at Fanling.

MOTOR ACCIDENTS.

There were quite a number of motor accidents in the Colony on Friday. In two cases they were attended with fatal results and two others were serious hospital cases.

A Chinese farmer was fatally injured at Chuanlan as the result of being knocked down by motor car No. 79. He died shortly afterwards on the way to hospital.

Another Chinese was killed in a motor accident at Lapsapwan. He was knocked down by car No. 103.

An old woman was run over by a motor car at Antau and both her knees were smashed. The car did not stop after the accident and its number is not known.

A colic was knocked down by motor car No. 305 in Des Vaux Road Central. He was severely injured about the legs and was taken to the Tung Wah Hospital. Later the man's injuries were found to be serious and he was transferred to the Government Civil Hospital.

Cheers for the Club Commodore were then given, on the call of Commodore H. E. Grace, R.N., and the proceedings concluded.

THE OFFICIALS.

COMMODORE—The Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe.

VICE-COMMODORE—Mr. D. K. Blair.

GENERAL COMMITTEE—Commodore H. E. Grace, R.N., Messrs. O. S. G. Sheppard, B. Rutherford, D. C. Logan, H. S. Rouse, J. S. McCann, E. Cock and D. E. Blake.

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EARLIER CABLES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MR. ASQUITH OPENS THE
LIBERAL CAMPAIGN.PEACE AND RETRENCHMENT
THE WATCHWORD.

LONDON, October 27th.
Mr. Asquith had an enthusiastic welcome at a crowded Liberal meeting at Peterborough. He said Labour's manifesto was frank and open and spoke in some matters with almost the same voice as the Independent Liberals, but the ultimate purpose of the Labour Party was State control of industry. Mr. Bonar Law's policy, where not negative, was gelatinous. The action of the Coalition itself had shown that the Independent Liberals had been right. The great need of the country was peace and retrenchment.

GOVERNMENT AID FOR
FRENCH COMMERCE.
DEVELOPING FOREIGN AND
COLONIAL TRADE.

PARIS, October 27th.
A congress of foreign trade councillors is being held at Marseilles under the presidency of M. Clementel, ex-Minister of Commerce, to discuss, *inter alia*, the organisation of services for commercial expansion in French Colonies and abroad, export credits, transport and commercial agreements, subsidies to encourage Frenchmen to establish business abroad, the creation of a bureau for the purpose of sending young men to French colonies, and to increase branches and agencies of French banks abroad and in French Colonies.

INTERNATIONAL AIR
COMMISSION.
REGULATION OF AIRCRAFT.

LONDON, October 27th.
The International Air Commission has passed resolutions in favour of restricting the use of pilots to from nineteen to forty-five, insisting upon wireless equipment for all aircraft engaged in public transport, and forbidding the flight of aircraft belonging to a non-contracting State over the territory of a contracting State unless a special convention has been signed which does not violate other contractors' rights.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS
IN INDIA.
TRANQUILISING INFLUENCES.

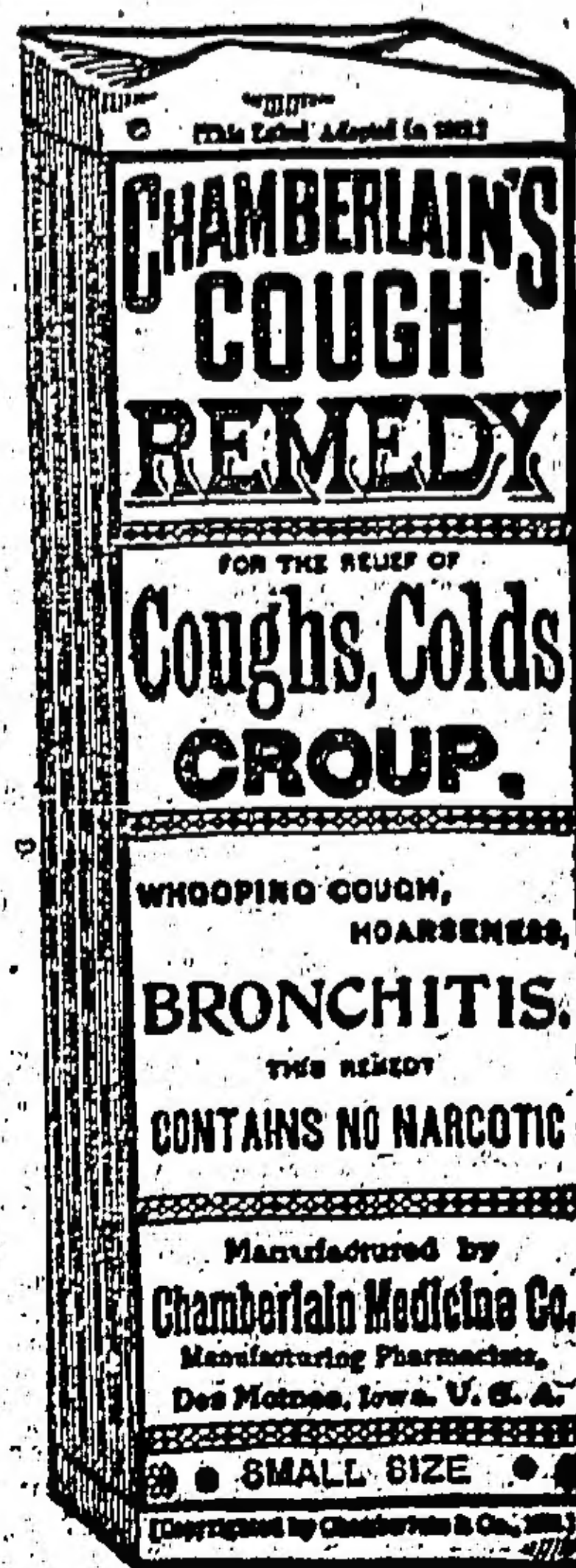
SIMLA, October 27th.
The internal situation is now easier. Modern feeling having become calmer with the prospect of a settlement of the Near Eastern problem. The Sikh troubles in the Punjab are also dying down. The United Provinces Legislature, in view of the improvement in the situation, passed a resolution against Government opposition, requesting the Governor to exercise clemency towards political prisoners.

AMERICAN YACHT'S
WORLD-CRUISE.
DEPARTURE FROM GIBELTAR.

GIBELTAR, October 27th.
The American yacht, *Spec Jack*, has arrived, having accomplished 89,000 miles of her world-cruise. She is leaving on Saturday for America.

DEATH OF EMINENT
PHYSICIST.

LONDON, October 27th.
The death has occurred of Dr. Cargill Knott.
[Dr. Cargill Gileston Knott, born 1856, was General Secretary of the Royal Society of Edinburgh. From 1883 to 1891 he was Professor of Physics, in the Imperial University of Japan, of which country he conducted a magnetic survey.]



THE BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

"CO-OPERATION OF THE SOCIETE
FRANCAISE DE GERANCE"

Reuter's representative at Peking recently had an interview with Mr. Sellier, local Manager of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, when the following questions were put to Mr. Sellier and the following answers received:—

Is it true that the branches of the Banque Industrielle de Chine were opened in Indo-China on the 15th instant?—They were not the branches of the Banque Industrielle but those of the "Societe Francaise de Gerance de la Banque Industrielle de Chine" in Saigon, Haiphong and Hanoi were opened.

What is the connexion between the Banque Industrielle de Chine and the Societe Francaise de Gerance?—All the buildings of the Banque Industrielle have been leased by the Societe Francaise de Gerance and the whole staff has been transferred to the said Society, but the "Societe Francaise de Gerance" is an absolutely independent company, having a capital of its own of F. 15,000,000, and it is to transact all ordinary banking business in its own name. It will also act as agent for the Banque Industrielle to collect the latter's assets in the Far East.

What advantage will this scheme give to the creditors of the Banque Industrielle? 1.—By the medium of the "Societe Francaise de Gerance" the collection of the assets of the Banque Industrielle will be made in very favourable conditions. 2.—The salaries of the staff, at present paid by the Banque Industrielle, will be paid entirely by the "Societe Francaise de Gerance." 3.—All the buildings, the commercial organisation, etcetera, of the Banque Industrielle will be utilized instead of being kept entirely unproductive. 4.—All the profits made by the Societe Francaise de Gerance will be handed over to the Banque Industrielle with the exception of a lump sum of F. 300,000, representing the fixed remuneration of the Societe Francaise de Gerance.

You have just stated that the Societe Francaise de Gerance will act as an independent company. Do you mean to say that it will not be held responsible for the former liabilities of the Banque Industrielle?—The Societe Francaise de Gerance is a new judicial entity and it will be bound by no other engagements than its own. On the other hand new business that may be transacted by the Societe Francaise de Gerance will under no circumstances bind the Banque Industrielle de Chine. Thus the advantages to the creditors of the Banque Industrielle are seen. If profits are made they will go to the Banque Industrielle and its creditors, while if losses should occur on new business they will be borne by the Societe Francaise alone.

Would it not have been better for the Banque Industrielle to reopen its own doors after having obtained from its own creditors some sort of moratorium?—No. That would not have been possible as the bank is faced with many lawsuits in France, which will take a long time to settle.

From your statements I gather that the Societe Francaise is not going to act as a liquidator but as a kind of guardian?—Yes. You may consider the Societe de Gerance as a kind of trustee in charge of the business of the Banque Industrielle.

All this sounds very well as far as new business is concerned, but what about the creditors of the Banque?—We have to follow the French legal procedure in that we have to ask our creditors to vote for or against the proposals for the settlement we soon shall submit to them.

What will these proposals be?—We shall offer to all our creditors payment by means of bonds redeemable in twenty-five years but carrying no interest.

Is that likely to prove acceptable to your creditors?—Certainly not, but as you probably know a provisional agreement has been signed between the French Legation and the Chinese Government, according to which the French Government will offer to all our Far Eastern creditors to exchange their twenty-five year bonds against new bonds bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. and redeemable in twenty-two years by means of the French portion of the Boxer Indemnity.

Would it not have been better for the Societe Francaise de Gerance not to open its branches until these bonds have been handed over to the creditors of the Banque Industrielle?—The agreement with the Chinese Government has to be ratified by the French Parliament and the bonds may not arrive in China until five or six months have elapsed. To wait so long would mean new unproductive expenditure and loss of time.

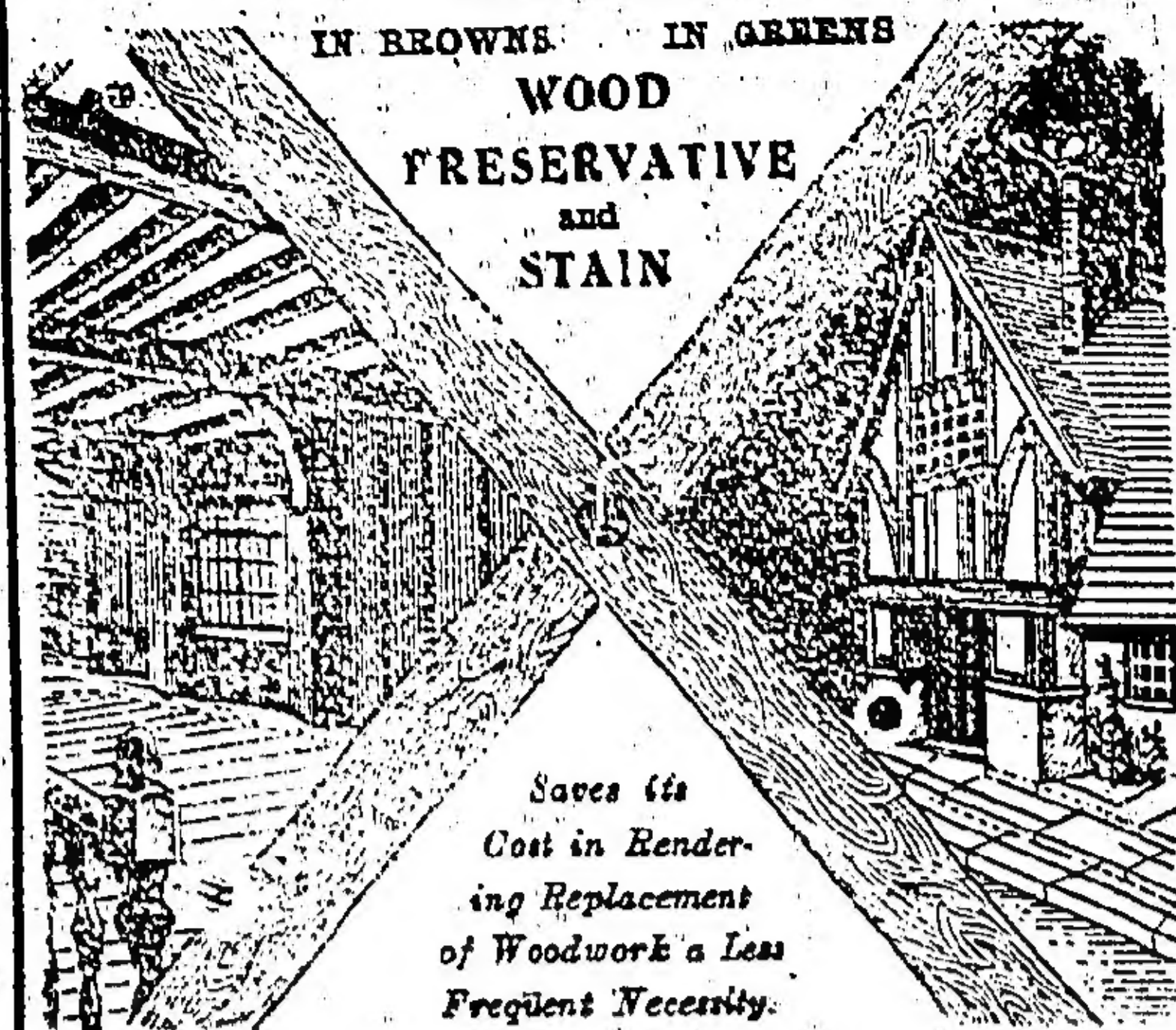
Why has the Societe Francaise opened its branches in Indo-China and not in China?—All the creditors of the Banque Industrielle in Indo-China are foreigners who perfectly understand the position of the Societe Francaise and have requested its immediate opening, whereas most of our creditors in China are Chinese, some of them uneducated people and it might be very difficult to make them understand the legal difference between the Banque Industrielle de Chine and the Societe de Gerance. Accordingly we might fear that the opening of our doors would be followed by a rush of claimants and to prevent such a rush we must undertake a kind of propaganda work. I must, however, say that our Chinese friends, particularly the Chinese bankers, have greatly helped us in this matter.

When do you think this propaganda work can be deemed to be sufficient?—Our oral efforts have already been sufficient. Consequently I am preparing circular letters to send to all our creditors in China, to foreigners as well as Chinese. These circulars will confirm all I have told you about the Societe Francaise de Gerance. (Continued at foot of next column.)

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TEMPERANCE V. PROHIBITION. THEIR CHARACTERISTICS COMPARED.

The following excellent dissertation on Prohibition was given by the Chairman at the thirty-fifth general meeting of the shareholders of Messrs. Mitchells and Butlers, Ltd., recently held at Birmingham:

"Prohibition is, indeed, fatal to liberty, because it involves a serious outrage against the natural rights and liberties of individuals and contemptuously disregards the claims of dissenting minorities. It is also fatal to Temperance, though not a few sophistically confound Temperance with Prohibition. Temperance is a growth, like all moral laws, in the individual and the community. Temperance is positive and appeals to man's sense of self-control, to his reason and conscience. Prohibition is negative and appeals to the sense of fear, to pain and penalties, and utterly ignores man's habits and education. Temperance is the development of man's righteousness and self-control. Prohibition is the reduction of man to a position of compulsory national total abstinence by the criminal law. Temperance is the heritage and blessing of a free people. Prohibition is the yoke which a Country constrains for itself when it confesses its inability to self-control, and from which it will take long years to free itself. Temperance is the badge of self-respect and orderliness. Prohibition is the symbol of hypocrisy and deception. All the secret encouragement to sly drinking, the utter lack of control, the absence of all authority, the vile decoctions served, are sure to generate a low moral atmosphere of great mischief. And such places of sly drinking greatly appeal to the young."

"Once let a young man become contaminated by the moral tone of the 'sly grog' he will be damaged morally, if not utterly ruined. Prohibition will undoubtedly generate lawlessness. Its extreme character, its far-reaching measures, its enormous penalties, stamp it as a grinding despotism—the fruitful parent of disorder. Prohibition is as despotic as any law of the worst despot. It utterly disregards and tramples under foot the undoubted rights of minorities, whom it grossly insults by the way it flouts their wishes and destroys their privileges. The minority under it would obey or suffer outrageous penalties. Wherever it prevails it is disastrous in every way and grossly insulting to the intelligence of the large majority. One extreme begets another. Prohibition will plunge us into a course of folly, bringing turmoil into the politics of the Country, perjury and evasion into the Courts, and deception into the people."

HONGKONG TRADE.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE REPORT.

The fortnightly Price Current and Market Report, published by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce states:—

Cotton piece goods, and fancy cotton goods.—There is no change in our market, and only a few transactions in dyed goods are reported during the interval. There is nothing doing in greys and whites. Cotton is quoted at 14/16d. per lb.

Cotton yarn.—After the heavy sales of the last fortnight, a lull has set in and only a small business has been transacted. Prices, however, have improved from 11 to 12 owing to a further drop in the exchange. Quotations are:—No. 10s. \$143/170, No. 12s. \$156/175, No. 15s. \$180/194, No. 20s. \$75/159. Arrivals 2,000. Shipments nil. Sales 3,000 bales. Unsold stock 11,000 bales. Bargains 8,000 bales.

Woolens.—There is no change in the market. Some sales of old stock lots of blankets have been made and clearances fairly good.

Raw Cottons.—Market bare of stocks. Nominal quotations.—Indian descriptions at \$30/35. Chinese grades at \$32/33. Metals.—Market is quiet, the lower exchange making prices higher than dealers will now pay. Demand from consuming districts is poor, with dealers inclined to sacrifice parcels to clear.

Flour Market Report.—Stock: About 600,000 sacks. Quotations.—American Patent, \$3.70 per sack; American Straight, \$2.70 per sack; American Cut off, \$2.80 per sack; Shanghai Flour, \$2.85 per sack; Australian No. 1, \$2.85 per sack.

Sugar.—Market steady.

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HAIPHONG via HOIHOW	"CHONGSHING"	Friday, 3rd Nov., Noon.
MANILA	"YUENSANG"	Friday, 3rd Nov., 5 p.m.
TINGTAU via SWATOW	"TINGSANG"	Sunday, 5th Nov., 9 a.m.
SEANGHAI	"CHILDA"	Tuesday, 7th Nov., 10 a.m.
BANGKOK via SWATOW	"HOPANG"	Tuesday, 7th Nov., 5 p.m.
HAIPHONG via HOIHOW	"CHUNANG"	Wednesday, 8th Nov., 11 a.m.
SEANGHAI	"HOSANG"	Thursday, 9th Nov., 3 p.m.
HAIPHONG via HOIHOW	"MINGSANG"	Friday, 10th Nov., 10 a.m.
SEANGHAI	"MAUSANG"	Friday, 10th Nov., Noon.
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KOBE	"KUTSANG"	Thursday, 16th Nov., Noon.

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SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS

October 27th.
Mogebashi Maru, Japanese str., 3,320 tons, Capt. S. Shibutani, from Manila, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Mohon, Chinese str., 761 tons, Capt. C. A. Hills, from Tientsin, with salt and rice.—Yue Wai S.S. Co.

Saichow, Chinese str., from Canton.

Wingung, British str., from Canton.

October 28th.

Achilles, British str., 7,190 tons, Capt. Geo. A. Flynn, from Liverpool, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Amalthus, British str., 3,400 tons, Capt. Nasbet, from San Pedro, with fuel oil.—Asiatic Petroleum Co.

Chetani, British str., from Canton.

Futami Maru, Japanese str., from Canton.

Hydrogen, British str., 361 tons, Capt. W. J. Colman, R.N.E., from Swatow, with a general cargo.—Chiou On S.S. Co.

Lake Fishburn, American str., 1,588 tons, Capt. J. H. Benson, from Saigon, with rice.—Pacific Mail S.S. Co.

Mansung, British str., 2,063 tons, Capt. E. R. Gay, from Sandakan, with a general cargo.—J. M. & Co.

Patrol, British ship, 1,229 tons, Capt. Broderick, from Singapore, none.—E. R. T. Co.

Phu Yang, British str., 1,022 tons, Capt. H. C. Kiddle, from Hoikow, with a general cargo.—Cheong Yue S.S. Co.

Taka Maru, Japanese str., 1,477 tons, Capt. T. Nakamura, from Keelung, with coal.—M. I. K.

Takao Maru, Japanese str., 1,876 tons, Capt. C. R. Meham, from Tientsin, with sugar.—B. & S.

Trieste, Italian str., 3,323 tons, Capt. E. Tarabochia, from Shanghai, with a general cargo.—Dodwell & Co.

Washing, British str., from Canton.

Yingchow, British str., 1,216 tons, Capt. G. D. Mills, from Shanghai, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

October 29th.

Ankers, Chinese str., 211 tons, Capt. Chan Hui, from Hoikow, with a general cargo.—On Fat S.S. Co.

Chongching, British str., 1,336 tons, Capt. E. Tapsell, from Tientsin, with a general cargo.—J. M. & Co.

Hathong, British str., 1,270 tons, Capt. W. C. Passmore, from Swatow, with a general cargo.—Douglas S.S. Co.

President Pierce, American str., 11,123 tons, Capt. H. L. Jones, from San Francisco, with a general cargo.—Pacific Mail S.S. Co.

Trooper, Norwegian str., 1,126 tons, Capt. O. Hansen, from Saigon, with rice.—K. Larsen & Co.

Sashu Maru, Japanese str., 1,652 tons, Capt. Y. Okura, from Swatow, with a general cargo.—O.S.K.

Sungang, British str., 1,534 tons, Capt. W. Shann, from Shanghai, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Tan Overstrand, Dutch str., 2,336 tons, Capt. J. J. Claassen, from Amoy, with a general cargo.—J. C. I. L.

October 30th.

Patani Maru, for Hongkong.

Jade, for Pakhoi.

Kaylong, for Hoikow.

Pratens, for Bangkok.

Shunshing, for K. C. Wan.

Tai Sze Ma, for K. C. Wan.

October 28th.

Achilles, for Shanghai.

Analthus, for Miri.

Chetani, for Shanghai.

Dover Maru, for Canton.

Egret, for Amoy.

Kuichow, for Tientsin.

Kuanchow, for Pakhoi.

Mogebashi Maru, for Keelung.

Mohon, for Macao.

Patrol, for Singapore.

Sinkiang, for Shanghai.

Sashu Maru, for Canton.

Tanda, for Singapore.

Telegraph, for Saigon.

Trieste, for Singapore.

Washing, for Shanghai.

Wingung, for Swatow.

Yingchow, for Canton.

October 29th.

Hirano Maru, for Keelung.

President Pierce, for Manila.

Sunja Maru, for Hongkong.

Sui Yik, for Canton.

PASSENGERS

Per s.s. Hathong, on October 29th:—

Mr. J. D. Gordon, Mr. Griffin, Miss

Searle, Miss Pownall, Miss Grant and

Mr. H. O. Dexter.

Per P.M. s.s. President Pierce, on Octo-

ber 29th:—For Hongkong: Mr. H. W.

Bruce, Mrs. E. K. Cameron, Mr. L. B.

Campbell, Mr. M. O. Clark, Mr. G. W.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Tajima Maru* (Liverpool line) left Kobe for Hongkong via Dairen and Shanghai on October 27th, and is expected here on November 8th.

The N.Y.K. s.s. *Tango Maru* (Australia line) left Sydney for Hongkong via ports on October 27th, and is expected here on November 16th.

The China Mail s.s. *Armenestan* is due from Singapore to-morrow afternoon, (October 31st), and will be despatched for Swatow and Amoy on November 3rd, at noon.

VESSELS EXPECTED.

Agapenor (Blue Funnel), due Nov. 11th.

Albatross (Blue Funnel), due Nov. 23rd.

City of Paris (Bank Line), due Nov. 10th.

Culebra (Blue Funnel), due Nov. 20th.

Eastern (E. & A.), due Nov. 3rd.

Empress of Canada, due November 8th.

Fushimi Maru (N.Y.K.), due Nov. 7th.

Kinga Maru (N.Y.K.), due Nov. 1st.

Kamakura Maru (N.Y.K.), due Nov. 3rd.

Meriones (Blue Funnel), due Nov. 20th.

Pres. Cleveland (P.M.), due Nov. 11th.

Pyrrhus (Blue Funnel), due October 31st.

St. Albans (E. & A.), due to-day.

Tokushima Maru (N.Y.K.), due to-day.

Tsuiryo Maru (N.Y.K.), due Nov. 2nd.

LAST REPORTED

The s.s. *Tesireus* (Blue Funnel), left

Port Said on October 20th for London,

Amsterdam and Antwerp.

The s.s. *Titan* (Blue Funnel) left Port

Said on October 21st for Boston and New

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